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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

OUR LATE PRESIDENT. The Obsequies in Springfield-The Closing

Exercises. Springfield, May 1.—About noon the remains of President Lincoln were brought from the State-house and placed in the hearse. The funeral procession was under Major General Hooker, marshal-in-chief, and Brigadier Generals Cook and Oakes. The military and firemen appeared finely. The guard of honor was the same as during

the entire route. the procession consisting of the governors of seven States, members of Congress, State and municipal authorities, delegations from adjoining States, Free Masons, Odd Fellows, and citizens, including the colored procession, arrived at Oak Ridge Cemetery at 1 o'clock, on the left of the vault in which the remains of the President and son were deposited immedi-

ately on their arrival. There was a platform on which singers and an instrumental band were engaged in singing and playing appropriate music. On the right was the speakers' stand. The vault is at the foot of a knoll in a beautiful part of the ground which contains forest trees and all other varieties. It has a Doric gable, resting on pilasters; the main wall being rustic. The vault is fifteen feet high, and about the same in width. with semicircular wings projecting from its hillsides. The material is limestone, procured at Joliet, Illinois.

Directly inside the ponderous doors is an iron grating. The interior walls are covered with black velvet, detted with evergreens. In the centre there is a foundation of brick capped with a marble slab; on which the coffin rests. In the front of the vault are trimmed evergreens. The dead march in Saul was sung, accompanied by the band, as the remains were deposited. Thousands of persons had assembled at the cemetery before the arrival of the procession. The scene was one of intense solemnity. The religious exercises were commenced by singing a dirge, then followed the reading of appropriate portions of Scripture

and a prayer. After a hymn by the choir, Rev. Mr. Hubbard read the last inaugural of President Lincoln. Next a dirge was sung by the choir, when Bishop Simpson delivered the funeral address, which was in the highest degree solemnand patriotic; portions were applauded Then followed another dirge and another hymn, when the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Dr. Gurley. The procession then re-

Our mournful duty of escorting the mortal remains of Abraham Lincoln hither is performed. We have seen them deposited in the tomb. Bereaved friends, with saddeued and grief-stricken hearts have taken their adieu and turned their faces homeward, ever to remember the affecting and impressive scene they have witnessed. The injunction so often repeated on the way, Bear him gently to his rest," has been obeyed,

heavily at the portals of the temb." FROM MEMPHIS. Surrender of Jett. Thompson and His Eu-MEMPHIS, May 3.—Jeff. Thompson surrendered his entire army yesterday to Captain

Mitchell.

and "the great heart of the nation throbs

THE ABOLITION OF SLAVERY. Action of the Connecticut Legislature. HARTFORD, CONN., May 4 .- The constitutional amendment was unanimously passed by both branches of the Connecticut Legislalature, this morning.

New York Gold Market. NEW YORK, May 4.—Evening Board, gold, 142%; after call, 143.

# LOCAL NEWS.

THE ASSOCIATION FOR THE RELIEP OF DES-TITUTE C. W. & C .- Petticoats in the Aldermen's Chamber-An Adjourned Quarrel-Cru-elty to the Destitute C. W. & C .- "Mann's Inhumanity to Man" - Mush and Molasses bad for the Destitute C. W. & C.—Bad for their Bowels
—Mrs. Swisshelm and other Relievers of the D. C. W. & C., Come to the Rescue-Mush and Molasses Deposed—Change for the Better— Bowels of the Destitute C. W. & C. under con-trol now—Treasurer's Report—Report of Inves-tigating Committee—Some more Reports—Several other Reports - A School House Missing - What has become of that School House?-Mr. Leighton Proposes to Smoke the Pipe of Prace-Mrs. Swisshelm Don't Smoke-Sensible Advice by Dr. Channing, Dr. Bliss, Br Breed and other Doctors to stop Quarreling and go to Work.

The Association for the Relief of Destitute Colored Women and Children met in the Aldermen's Room Wednesday night. The Association is made up largely of ladies, many of them young and pretty, and so it was a pleas. ant sight to see them there occupying the places of the venerable and majestic greybeards of the Board of Aldermen. Charley Utermehle's seat was occupied by a smart little widow, almost as good a tactician in debate as Charley himself. A stout, handsome lady of sixty revelled in the ample proportions of Col. Pepper's chair. Decidedly the prettiest young lady Associationist in the room shed a halo about Noyes' desk. Parson Channing gave an added air of sanctimony to Tom Lloyd's place. A lady in spectacles, thin in figure and sedate of aspect, sat primly in the centre of Dick Mergan's chair. McCathran's seat was lost to view in flowing crinoline, so was Canfield's, so was Gulick's. Judge Day held sway in Turton's chair. Demonstrative Mrs. Swisshelm tried in succession the chairs of Rapley, Plant, Barr, and Lewis, disapproved of them all, and sought a position on an outside settee, where she sat erect and vigilant, emerging at short intervals to do battle over the bar railings in behalf of destitute C. W. and C.,victims of mush and molasses diet and badly

regulated bowels. Dr. Breed and various other prominent Rehevers of Destitute C. W. and C., occupied positions outside or inside the bar. The history of the association's intestine difficulties-of the charges against the late management and against Miss Mann, the teacher, of ill-treatment of the inmates of the Home-of the warfare between Miss Mann and various matrons of the institution, and the crimination and recrimination between the adherents of the two sides are pretty well known to the public. To those not familiar with the controversy, it may be proper to say that the charges were originally made and vigorously pushed by Mrs. Swisshelm and others, and that the cause of Miss Mann was

advocated by Rev. Dr. Channing and others, The meeting on Wednesday night was an adjourned one, Mr. A. M. Gangewer presiding and Miss Eliza Heacock acting as secretary, (Capt. Grelish, the secretary, declining to serve.) The object of the meeting was to hear fuller reports as to the condition of the "Home" than were made at the last meeting, and also the report of the committee to examine

the last annual report, which it was claimed was one-sided. After some preliminary business, Mrs. Crandell presented the partial report of the committee to examine the financial condition of the

Mr. Kelsey, of the same committee the report was correct as far as it related to Mrs. Crandell's accounts. The committee were appointed to examine the accounts from the commencement of the association, and had devoted several hours to that duty, finding several descrepancies up to the 9th of January, but not concluding the examination they asked further time. Dr. Channing stated that in his opinion the

committee was not quite fairly made up, and he proposed that the name of Mr. Geo. E. Baker be added to the committee. Mr. R. W. Leighton objected to the acceptance of the report of the committee. The gen-tleman (Mr. Kelsey) had said the committee had discovered discrepancies, and he thought the remark was out of place—no insinuations should be thrown out until they were ready to

preve that such was the fact. Mrs. Crandell's name, at her own request was stricken from the committee, and Mr. Baker was substituted.

The amended report of the Board of Managers was presented, which shows, in addition to the facts in the previous report, that the present matron, Mrs. Nichels, (who was the first matron at the Home,) entered on her the first matron at the Home,) entered on her duties on the 1st of February, and a former beneficiary of the Home was appointed assistant in the nursery. The expenses of the Home for January were \$293 74; February, \$469.70, the inmates averaging 60; and March \$385 77, the average being 72. The school, which is under the charge of Miss Robinson, a young lady sent by the Freedmen's Ald Society of Worcester, Mass., which pays her salary, numbers 46 scholars, and is in a very flourish-

ing condition. Since the 11th of January five old women and sixteen children have been admitted. The report closes by referring to the troubles in the association, saying that nothing but evil can come of these dissensions, and ex. pressing the hope that the quarrel will cease, and that no allusion will be made to it here.

Mrs. Swisshelm objected to the reception of the report-the latter part had nothing to do with the tepert proper. She supposed that she was alluded to as the party responsible for making the troubles. She had felt it her duty to make the charges, and she proceeded to reiterate these charges as to cruel treatment of the inmates of the Home by Miss Mann, and said that of the 33 children who died at the Home during Miss M.'s sway, no prayer or religious service was said over their remains. Dr. Channing.—That is a mistake

Mrs. Swisshelm said that she had under-stood that if her friends would agree to drop the controversy, that the other side would, but the compact had not been kept. Her efforts in behalf of the Home had been persistently baffled by the representations of the other side, and if she wrote a letter of appeal she was met by the reply, "Oh, you have abused Miss Mann; you will get nothing from this quarter." The investigation must now go on; they could not smother it. She or some one else had done good, for the bad treatment, &c., at the Home

was stopped. Capt. Grelish moved that the latter portion of the report be stricken out and it be adopted; if it was not intended to reflect on Mrs. Swisshelm it looked very much like it.

Mr. Leighton did not see that any allusion was made to any one person. As for the investigation, it would not result in any benefit to either party, and as a member of the association he was willing to sacrifice his rights in order to effect a compromise and an abandonment of all charges. He was willing to yield his point in regard to the circulation of the annual report.
Mrs. Swisshelm.—We made a compact of

that kind before, and you broke it; we can't trust you now. After some further discussion the report was

adopted. Dr. Bliss thought that it would be proper that, as there was a difference of epinion on the correctness of the last annual report, that a supplemental report might be satisfactory, and in order that such a report might be made, he suggested that three of the old board of managers and three of the new board be appointed for the purpose.

Mrs. Swisshelm suggested that it would be better to hear the report of the committee appointed at the last meeting first. Mr. F. J. Jones, from the committee referred

to, reported that the committee to whom was referred the report presented by Rufus Leighton, as the second annual report, should not be published because of discrepancies in its financial statements; because of further information being desired in regard to the statement in that report that \$1,500 had been placed in the hands of Miss Mann "for disposal as she may see fit," no portion of which has been placed in the treasury of the association, and as the Boston Commonwealth says that money, been collected for the Home, it may be possible that there is some error in the statement that the money has been placed in the hands of Miss Mann "for educational purposes and disposal as she may see fit," but was contributed generally for the use of the Home, Miss Mann receiving it as an agent of the corporation. The life membership portion of the report required attention.

The committee also notice that the balance reported in the first annual report was \$1,606 06 and on page 16 in the same report it is stated that there was collected in Boston \$1,206 for building a school room, &c, and in a note it is stated that \$800 is paid on it, and the balance will be accounted for in the next annual report. The balance, however, is not accounted for in the second report or elsewhere.

The committee state that they are informed at a fair held in Boston money was collected for the association, but they have no information as to what has become of the money. The report states that there was no serious case of sickness at the "Home," when there were 13 serious cases when the present management took charge. One matter was entirely overlooked, the mysterious disappearance of three

Mr. G. E Baker said mere was nothing in the report of the committee to show that the annual reportshould not be published. Mr. Day stated that in the last annual report reference was made to \$1,500 collected in Boston, and he was told last winter that the school house had been shipped from Boston by the very gentleman who made the report. What has become of that school house! Where is this amount, and was it not placed in the hands of Miss Mann, that she might rule the association? He asked if it was fit and proper to devote three-fourths of a page of the report to the laudation of a single individual whose school was pronounced a model-in his opinion it was a model of cruelty. The rations in the jail and penitentiary were better than the everlasting mush and molasses with which the

children had been ted. Mr. Leighton said, in relation to the schoolhouse, that it had arrived here, but was at the disposal of Miss Mann, and had not been put

Mrs. Swisshelm .-. " Louder"! Capt, Grelish asked if the school house was for educational purposes; was it for the chil-dren of the Home or Miss Mann? Mr. Baker moved to lay the report of the committee on the table, which was seconded

by Dr. Channing, and voted down. The report of the committee was adopted. Mr. Gangewer presented the report of the committee of investigation on the charges made against Miss Mann, the teacher of the school, as follows: In pursuance of a resolution adopted at the

annual meeting held at City Hall, on 10th of January, 1865, "to investigate the charges, written and verbal, that may be made at its first session against the teacher, Miss Mann, and the management of the Home," the following persons were appointed said committee, viz: Messrs. A. M. Gangewer, D. R. Goodloe, Dr. W. H. Channing, D. M. Kelsey, and Dr Haniel Breed. At a meeting of the committee held at the

house of Dr. Breed, January 18th, after organizing, by appointing A. M. Gangewer, chairman, and Dr. Breed, secretary, notice was given of the readiness of the committee to hear any charges that might be presented, Albert S. Browne, Esq., appeared as counsel for Miss Mann, and stated that any person making charges or giving testimony would be held to a strict accountability under the law. Mrs. Swisshelm protested against any threats being made to deter witnesses from testifying. She

then presented the following: Charges against the late management and Teacher of the Home for Indigent Colored Women and Children, situated on Georgetown Heights.

"First, and finally, the report of the Secretary and Treasurer of the Institution, presented and adopted at the annual meeting, is false in so many particulars as to be unworthy of credence and unfit to appear before the public as anything but an official report." More specific charges having been called for, she charged: That the property of the Home had been perverted to improper use that delicacies had been used by Miss Mann while the children suffered; that old women had been excluded who had a right to be admitted and remain; that the discipline had been cruel: that Miss Mann's conduct towards the children was passionate and violent; that children suffered from hunger; that the children were neglected until they were eaten with vermin, and that one child was punished so as

to hasten its death. Several subsequent meetings were held by the committee, viz: on the 20th, 23d and 25th of January, and Mrs. Holt, former matron; Mrs. Howells, Aunt Becky, Mrs. Carr, former teacher; Mr Niemann, Mrs. Coleman, Rev. Mr. Dudley and Sally Cooper, cook, were examined—all except Mrs. Howells—as witnesses to sustain the charges of Mrs. Swisshelm. The examination usually extended late into the night, and each witness was allowed to tell all he or she knew respecting matters at the Home prior to cross-examination. By request of Dr. Breed, Mr. R. Leighton took short-hand notes of the testimony, which he says were never written out, and after the dissolution of the committee were destroyed. The memorandum of proceedings as recorded by Dr. Breed, and the letter of Miss Mann and

her attorney, accompany this report.
Other witnesses besides those named above were awaiting examination, when, on the last named evening, (Jan. 25th,) neither Miss Mann nor her attorney appearing, a messenger was sent by the chairman for Mr. Browne, who

anbsequently appeared.

The chairman stated to Mr. Browne that he desired Miss Mann to appear specially on this evening, as he had a proposition to make which he thought would harmonize this unhappy contreversy, and urged him to advise her to come and hear it in person. This Mr. Browne did not do. The chairman then stated,

in presence of Mr. Browne, that the association was one for the benefit of destitute and degraded people; that it was not to be presumed graded people; that it was not to be presumed that any one of those present had any other object than the good of these destitute people. He therefore proposed that Mrs. Swisshelm, on the one side, should withdraw her charges, and let by-gones be by-gones, provided the other side (Miss Mann and her friends) would give the names and residences of the persons who had contributed the fonds which were who had contributed the funds which were said to have been placed in her hands "for educational purposes," and which had not been paid into the treasury, and let all go farward, and each be emulous to show which would do most to sustain the institution.

A letter from Miss Mann was read, in which she stated that by advice of her counsel she declined to appear further before the com-mittee so long as Mr. Kelsey shall be a mem-ber of it, believing that he had prejudged the ease and was prejudiced against her.

The committee took a recess to consult in-

formally on the proposition of the chairman. Mrs. Swishelm refused to withdraw ber charges, as that would be admitting them to be untrue. She was, however, willing to drop the matter if others wished to. She would at first have been glad to go into court, instead of before the committee, where she could compel the attendance of witnesses. Dr. Breed cordially seconded the motion of

the chairman to turn our attention to the future, and thought we should accept Mrs Swisshelm's offer to let the controversy drop.

As Miss Mann was no longer teacher at the Home and had declined to appear before the committee, on motion of Mr. Goodloe, it was resolved that the committee adjourn sine die. The committee thereupon separated, the report

stated in conclusion.

that she proposed to withdraw or drop the charges. She had consented to do so. Capt. Grelish said he understood that some testimony had been taken before the committee by Mr. Leighton which could not be found. Mr. Leighton replied that he took some short-

Mrs. Swisshelm stated that it was a mistake

hand notes at the request of Dr. Breed, the secretary to the committee, but the committee ceasing the investigation, he supposed they would not be required, and had not written them out, and that in moving they had been lest or mislaid.

Mr. Kelsey said as in the report he was named as the person on the committee who was bjected to by Miss Mann as being prejudiced in the case, some explanation was necessary. As a correspondent of one of the papers in the Northwest, ne had referred to the charges, but in his communication he did not give an opinion, but a succinct account of what was already known to the public—that Mrs. Coleman had made charges against Miss Mann; that they had been referred to a committee, and a majority reported that the charges were sustained, and requested the teacher to resign; that the minority reported that the charges were not sustained, and recommended that both teacher and matron be requested to resign; that the managers took no action on the report. He had done this because it was his duty; the truth should be told, especially when such outrages as these were perpetrated. The man-ner in which the charges and the report of the committee had been treated by the management was an outrage upon the association and the generous public At the annual meeting in January charges similar to those made by Mrs. Coleman were preferred against the teacher, and it was his fortune or misfortune to be placed upon the committee.

After several meetings it was alleged that Mr. Kelsey was biased. He believed that they made the fact of his being on the committee a pretext for the discontinuance of the investigation. He protested against this attempt to make him bear the sins of the teacher into the wilderness. He would not thus be bluffed off, but the world should know the true state of the case; he would proclaim it from the housetops. While it was said that he was blased, a very reverend gentleman on the committee had expressed his opinion in public, going further than he, by saying that the charges were perfectly incredible. That gentleman had also said on several occasions that he believed the prosecution had conspired together to traduce the character of the teacher. He (the speaker) was very willing to decline to serve longer on the committee, but suggested that the reverend gentleman should tender his resignation also. He had never been nor was not an enemy to the "Home." He had been a friend to the enterprise since the "Home" was suggested to him with others by Mrs. Senator Pomeroy, who although now dead, lived to see the institution established. He had visited the "Heme" when Miss Mann was there, and at first he was decidedly in her favor, but he was obliged to succumb to the truth. He regretted that the short-hand writer had destroyed his notes of the evidence before the committee, but he was not the only man who had took notes. He did not wish to protest against the reception of the report; but he had hoped that the evidence as far as taken should go with it, and as the evidence was not read, he proposed to read the notes taken by him at the time.

Mrs. Coleman thought it strange that Mr. Kelsey should need to make this explanation, when it was recollected how the committee were appointed; two on each side supposed to have expressed an opinion, and one supposed to be disinterested. Why should be make a disclaimer when it was known that Dr. Channing and Mr. Goodelow were favorable to the other side—Mr. Channing styling the presentation of charges as a plot. Mr. Kelsey did not say as much.

Mrs. Coleman referred to the first investiga. tion, when the minority report was that the charges preferred by her were not sustained. In. justice to herself she would state that she had fifteen witnesses summoned, of whom five only were examined, Mr. Baker saying that be was fully satisfied. The proof was such that it would have hung a man if the penalty had been such. Her principal reason for the suppression of the annual report was that she did not think it right, after a person had been convicted, to give her such a good character-the laudation should be kept back. Dr. Channing said that he had been spoken

of in remarks made in a way to demand some

explanation. He had not prejudged the case, but ha simply said, while waiting for proof, that the accusations were incredible. He had designed to be entirely impartial on the committee, but would cheerfully accede to the request of Mr. Kelsey for him to withdraw from it. In regard to the closing words of the report just read, he would say that he had agreed to drop the thing for reasons which he proceeded to state, but to his mind it was clear that at the time the investigation had just begun and only one side had been heard. He wished here to record his deliberate opinion that not one of the charges against Miss Mann had been sustained. On the contrary, he believed the greatest injustice had been done in singling out one person to bear the faults and misfortunes of the Institution. The matrons and committee were all in some degree implicated in the fault. He wished here to close the matter forever, so far as he was concerned. He disclaimed any disposition to impede the work of the present management, but had felt it his duty as a man and a christian to give moral support to one whom he had learned to respect more than ever, and to see that she was not crushed. In his opinion, had the admirable matron, who now officiates at the Home, had charge throughout, these difficulties would never have hap-pened. He believed the Association would

now prosper, and wished it God speed. Mr. Kelsey proposed to read the evidence taken by himself in the committee. Mr Leighton asked if it was right to read the evidence when there was no evidence of-

fered on the other side. Dr. Breed moved to lay the whole subject on the table-let all pass. Mrs. Swisshelm stated that Brown said he would hold her to responsibility, and she was willing to go into court in relation to the mat-Mr. Kelsey was about to read his notes of

Dr. Bliss raised the point that he was not in order. A Voice.—"File it!"
The Chair decided that Mr. Kelsey was not in order. The report submitted by Mr. Gangewer was adopted.

the evidence as a portion of his remarks, when

Mr. Kelsey.—Mr. Chairman, I claim the privilege of making a minority report.

Dr. Bliss.—Let it be in writing. Mr. Kelsey —1 will, sir; and he proceeded to read—"A minority of your committee beg leave to offer the following evidence as their report." He then proceeded to read at some length the notes of evidence taken by him in committee. Capt. Grelish moved the adoption of the mi-

nority report, Dr. Breed moved to lay the whole subject on the table. Mr. Day believed as a lawyer-he having attended the meetings of the committee as Mrs. Swisshelm's counsel-that the charges were sustained. The proof was overwhelming. The reason why the defense withdrew was the same that induce certain little animals to have a

The motion of Dr. Breed to lay the minority report on the table was carried—14 in the affirmative, and 11 in the negative.

The chair laid before the Board a resolution of the Board of Managers, asking that Mrs. J. C. H. Nichols be appointed the delegate to the convention of Freedmen's Associations to be held in New York on the 9th inst., which was Mr. Day said that he understood that \$500, contributed in Boston, would shertly be paid over, but that the association was in need of

funds, and he proposed that those present each pay an additional subscription when several responded. Adjourned. General Patterson of Philadelphia, and General Abercrombie, United States Army, have recently bought farms in Talbot coupty,

Maryland. The Rebel General Gideon J. Pillow, of Tennessee, has requested to be allowed to return to this home under the amnesty oath and giving bonds.